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Language: Latin **Country:** Italy **Century:** 15th

Part 1: ff. 1-129v

Description: - Parchment - 255 x 186 mm - In quires 1-2, 37 long lines, and in quires 8-14, 39 long lines ruled in lead.

Country: Italy

Cardinal point:

Region: Veneto?

City:

Assigned Date: s. XV¹

Searchable Date Range: 1400 - 1450

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Other Decoration: Space reserved for 4- to 6-line initials; on f. 17, bole only for a 2-line gold initial; in the second quire, 5-line pink and olive green initial with an infilling of painted gold leaves on a blue ground, set on a burnished gold frame.

Number of Texts: 2

Text 1: ff. 1-63v

Author: Cicero

Title: Tusculanae disputationes

Language(s): Latin



f. 48v Space reserved for initial with guide letter; reader's note spelling Philosophiawith a Greek phi.

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f. 49 Reader's note using Greek.

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Text 2: ff. 64v-129v

Author: Cicero

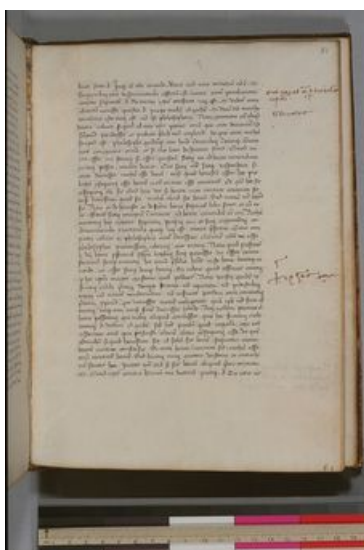
Title: Orationes in C. Verrem

Language(s): Latin

Explicit: ceterosque illius provincie necessarios.

Notes: f. 64v appends a paragraph from Augustine, De magistro book 1, chapter 5, noted in a later hand. The oration is printed: W. Peterson, ed., M. Tulli Ciceronis Orationes: Divinatio in Q. Caecilium; In C. Verrem (Oxford: Clarendon, 1982) 2nd ed., here ending in Book III, chapter 18, line 18, on p. 219.

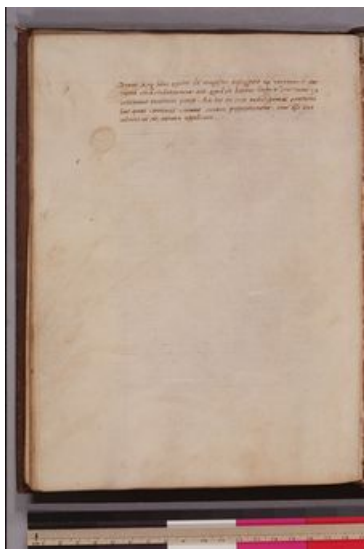
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f. 51

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f. 64v Added text, s. XVI.

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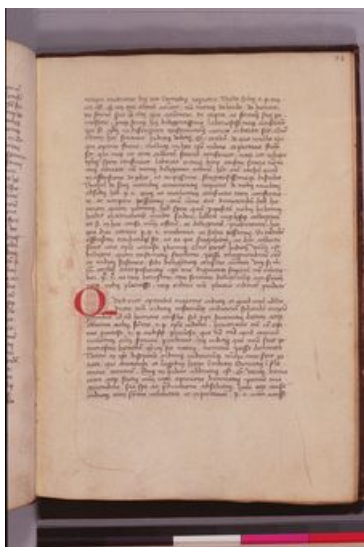
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f. 65 Painted initial on gold ground.

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f. 72 Flourished initial.

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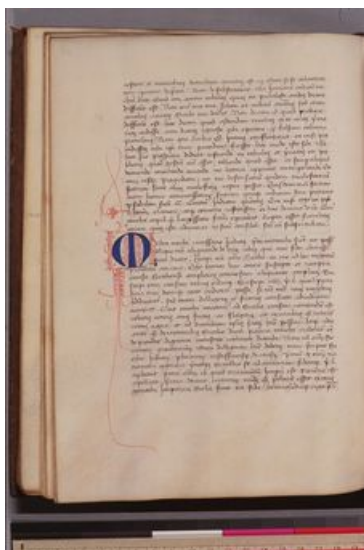
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ff. 74v-75 Centered catchword; running headlines.

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f. 98v Flourished initial.

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